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Serial No. 09/319,541

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For: PREPARATION IN FORM OF A MATRIX-AUXILIARY AGENT COMPOUND
CONTAINING OPTIONALLY AN ACTIVE SUBSTANCE

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Attached is a PTO/SB/O8 form listing the enclosed documents.

The listed documents were cited in the attached European Search Report issued in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months ago. See the degree of relevancy and the particular passages cited for each document in that Search Report.

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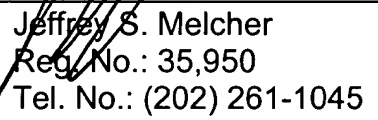
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Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the herewith PTO/SB/08B form with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP 609 along with an early action on the merits of this application are earnestly solicited.

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